

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (DOH)

NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY (NOFA)

RFA# CHA_HFAI_09.16.16

The District of Columbia, Department of Health (DOH) is soliciting applications from qualified applicants to provide services in the program and service areas described in this Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA). This announcement provides public notice of the Department of Health's intent to make funds available for the purpose described below. The applicable Request for Applications (RFA) will be released under a separate announcement with guidelines for submitting the application, review criteria and DOH terms and conditions for applying for and receiving funding.

General Information:

Funding Opportunity Title:	Healthy Food Access Initiatives
Funding Opportunity Number:	FO-CHA-PG-00023-003
RFA ID#:	RFA #CHA_HFAI_09.16.16
Opportunity Category:	Competitive
DOH Administrative Unit:	Community Health Administration
DOH Program Bureau	Nutrition and Physical Fitness Bureau
Program Contact:	Amelia Peterson-Kosecki, Bureau Chief amelia.peterson-kosecki@dc.gov (202) 442-9140
Program Description:	The Government of the District of Columbia, Department of Health (DOH), Community Health Administration (CHA) is soliciting applications from qualified applicants to provide healthful food access programming to eligible District residents. Funding will support two separate healthful food access program areas: (1) Program that ensures the delivery of fresh produce to small retailers and corner stores operating in Wards 5, 7 and 8; and (2) Provision of home delivered meals to District residents who are incapacitated due to chronic illness. Applicants may propose projects which will increase access to and consumption of healthful foods by the target population. Project implementation is projected to begin in November, 2016.
Eligible Applicants	Nonprofit organizations or businesses with a demonstrated track record in providing healthful food and nutrition and wellness education services to culturally diverse, limited income District residents.

Anticipated # of Awards:	3
Anticipated Amount Available:	\$750,000
Floor Award Amount:	\$200,000
Ceiling Award Amount:	\$550,000

Funding Authorization

Legislative Authorization	FY 17 Budget Support Act of 2016
Associated CFDA#	Not Applicable
Associated Federal Award ID#	Not Applicable
Cost Sharing / Match Required	No
RFA Release Date:	Friday, September 16, 2016
Pre-Application Meeting (Date)	September 23, 2016
Pre-Application Meeting (Time)	2:00 to 3:00 p.m.
Pre-Application Meeting (Location/Conference Call Access)	899 North Capitol Street, NE – 3 rd Floor
Letter of Intent Due date:	September 28, 2016
Application Deadline Date:	Friday, October 14, 2016
Application Deadline Time:	By 6:00 p.m.
Links to Additional Information about this Funding Opportunity	DC Grants Clearinghouse http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse . DOH EGMS https://dcdoh.force.com/GO_ApplicantLogin2

Notes:

1. DOH reserves the right to issue addenda and/or amendments subsequent to the issuance of this NOFA, or to rescind the NOFA.
2. Awards are contingent upon the availability of funds.
3. Individuals are not eligible for DOH grant funding.
4. Applicants must have a DUNS #, TaxID#, be registered in the federal Systems for Award Management (SAM).
5. Effective September 1, 2016, grant application submissions will be done via the DOH Enterprise Grants Management System (EGMS). Applicants must register to obtain an EGMS account at least two weeks prior to the submission deadline date.
6. DOH is located in a secured building. Government issued identification must be presented for entrance.